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Ken-Mar Tool to Build New Plant Here



were held last week at 21 Indus- Brodt, factory manager, Select- wam try Lane in preparation of a new man Edward W. Connelly, Norplant to be built by Ken-Mar man E. Blomberg, Ken-Mar presi-

Democratic Town Committee

Tool, Inc. Pictured above taking dent, A. Tychsen, builder and Da-

Industrial Development Commission.

space of 8500 feet, and is the annual meeting in April. first building to be constructed in Agawam's new industrial area. Ken-Mar has been in operation at 168 Elm St., manufacturing components and assemblies for aircraft, space and nuclear pro- hospitality chairman for the eve-

Knights of Columbus Celebrate 84th Anniversary March 13-20

celebrate its 84th anniversary during the week of March 13 to 20. The K of C was founded March 29, 1882, in New Haven, Conn., by Rev. Michael J. Mc-Givney, a young curate. On the eve of its 84th anniversary, the fraternal organization has more than 1,250,000 members in more than 5000 local councils through-

Junior Women Meet Tuesday

The Agawam Junior Women's Club will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday evening the 15th, at 8 p.m. at the Captain Charles Leonard House. The theme of the evening will be "Mothers

Mrs. John Bodurtha, president, will preside at the business meeting. All members are urged to attend this meeting because many recommendations are due to be presented and voted on.

Nominations for the new slate of officers will be presented by the chairman of the nominating The plant will have a floor committee to be voted on at the

> The program for the evening wil be presented by Mr. Alvin Chase entitled "Interior Decorating."

Mrs. Roger Burger will be

The Knights of Columbus will out the world with 29 councils and more than 8600 members in Western Mass.

Several events have been planned in observance of K of C Week, the first will be a Family Holy Hour for Peace on Sunday, the 13th, at St. Michael's Cathedral, Springfield, at 3 p.m. It will be celebrated by Most Rev. Christopher J. Weldon, Bishop of Springfield, and the Color Guard of Archbishop William General Assembly, Fourth Degree, will participate. All Knights and their families as well as the general public are cordially invited to

UNITED FIRST DEGREE

Friday evening, the 18th, a united First Degree exemplification for all councils in Western Mass. will be conducted at Home City Council, 121 Lyman St., Springfield. Eligible candidates may obtain application blanks from their local councils. Officers

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Granger PTA Plan Macaroni Supper

Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Sweeney, co-presidents of the Granger School Parent Teachers Association announces that a Macaroni Meatball Supper will be held on Saturday, March 19, in the Agawam Junior School cafeteria. Servings will be from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m.

General chairman of the supper is Mrs. Robert Culverhouse. Assisting on the following committees are: Dinner-Mrs. Peter Pepper, Mrs. Walter Krolicki and Mrs. James Howe, Publicity -Mrs. Thomas Economidy! Posters -Mrs. William Cass; Tickets Mrs. George Liptak and Mrs. John Gregnoli.

Tickets may be obtained from any of the above committee memthe supper.

YMCA Father and Son Sports Banquet Mar. 31

during the past years, drawn imported cold cuts. Next served Sports Night Banquet of the crowds of 650 to 700.

will be homemade lasagne fol- Agawam Community YMCA will Agawam Community YMCA will be held on Thursday, March 31 at the Agawam High School cafeteria. The annual event will feature a football theme this year and the committee expects to se-cure a National Football League player as the main speaker. Also featured during the evening is the presentation of awards to boys who have participated in the YMCA sports program during the past year.

James Pease, chairman of the "Y" Youth Program Committee announced that the following chairmen had been appointed for program, Carolyn ford; tickets, Robert Smith; awards, John Mikszewski; meal supervision, Ruth Chandler and Rita Moore. Also serving on the general committee are Mr. Pease, Paul Adams, Jr., Leonard John-

Lilliput Parent's Night Registration

Lilliput Play-School at 943 River Rd., Agawam, will have its spring parent's night at 7 on Monday, March 14. The nursery school, available for 3 to 5 year olds, is on a full day program geared to help the child develop physically, emotionally, and so-cially. A full, competent staff guide and direct each individual

this time for fall of 1966. Parents who plan to enroll their child may see the facilities and talk to staff members regarding

The annual Father and Son Gregory, John Cardone and Jack Moltenbrey.

The banquet is open to all boys who are members of the YMCA and their fathers, whether they have participated in current programs or not. Further information on the guest speaker will be confirmed and released in the bers or at the door the night of next few days.

Social Study Fair



Planning a trip to Latin America? For expert advice contact any of the 28 pupils in Mr. James Donelan's sixth grade class at the Benjamin Phelps School.

A Latin American Tourist Fair was held recently in Phelps School auditorium. Through the use of interviews, travel folders, books, magazines, newspapers, maps, atlases, the countries rep-

resented tried to 'sell" selves to the viewing public.

Many of the booths were decorated in a Spanish motif and students were dressed in native cotumes of the countries, There was also a display of materials, raw rubber, coffee, bongo drums, a pinata, a machete for cutting sugar cane, mahogany ware, free

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St. Anthony's Guild To Hold Evening Of Recollection Mar. 29

19 at 7 p.m. at the Agawam Ar-

mory. This annual banquet has,

The affair will be catered

The St. Anthony's Ladies Guild tion at the Marian Retreat House, Holyoke, on Tuesday, the 29th. The regular meeting will not be held on this date.

Any member planning to attend should contact Mrs. Walter Letellier, chairman, or Mrs. Clifford Gibson, honorary chairman, before March 22.

Community Grange Program March 15

Community Grange of Feeding Hills will meet at the Grange home on North West St. Tuesday, March 15 at 8 o'clock.

During the business meeting the first and second degrees will be conferred on a class of candidates. William E. Vigneaux. master of the Grange, with the regular officers will work the first degree. The second degree will be conferred by a special team of officers with Clarence Holloway, a past master of Community Grange, acting as master.

Atrehearsal for the degrees has been called for Sunday, March 13 at 7 o'clock. A special meeting will be held during the rehearsal should more applications for membership be received.

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Plans Victory Banquet Mar. 19 Benjamin Bassani, vice-chair- by Chief Satula of Suffield who man of the Agawam Democratic enjoys a reputation of such cul-Town Committee announced plans | inary excellence that his firm at for the Agawam Democratic Vic- times caters four or five parties tory Banquet, to be held March

The menu will consist of an appetizer of mushrooms, salads and lowed with another salad and vegetables with the main course being roast beef. The courses will be served family style. The hall will be set up with round tables seating 10. Many tables have been reserved already.

The two head tables will honor of St. Anthony of Padua Church the November Office Holders and will hold an Evening of Recollec- their wives. The featured speaker



BENJAMIN BASSANI

of the evening will be Mayor Collins of Boston

Tickets may be obtained from Ben Bassani, Lucy Christopher, Walter Kerr, Richard Cebrelli, Raymond Charest, Fred Nardi, Ruth Zucco or any member of the Agawam Democratic Town Committee.

Tickets for admission will be collected at the door. No tickets will be sold after March 17 or that night at the door.

son, III, Robert Meister, Vinton

child according to his potentials.

Registrations are necessary at program and admission.

CHURCH NEWS

Agawam Methodist Church

Granger School-temporarily Rev. Kenneth Thornton, Minister Mrs. Herbert Binns, Organist Mrs. Marshall Keyes,

Sr. Choir Director Mrs. Ronald Ashton, Jr. Choir Director

Friday—3:30 p.m. Junior Choir practice at 22 Briarcliff Drive; Side.

Sunday - 9:30 a.m. Church Granger School... Nursery for open; 7:30 p.m. Fourth Lenten infants. Sermon topic "His Pres- meeting in series will be held at ence-Physical, Spiritual"; 6:30 p.m. Junior and Senior MYF meet at parsonage; 7:30 p.m. Christian Nurture (Membership Orientation) at parsonage.

Monday: 9:30 a.m. Commissions on Christian Social Concerns and Missions meet at 31 Norris St.; 7:30 p.m. Lay Leaders meet at parsonage.

Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir practice at 46 Kensington St.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Benjamin Lockhart, Pastor Mrs. Frank Merchant, Organist and Choir Director

Mrs. Barbara Briggs, Church Secretary

Thursday — 6:30 p.m. Choralier Choir rehearse at church; 7:45 p.m. Senior Choir rehearse at church; 8 p.m. Executive Board of United Women's Fellowship meet at home of the president, Mrs. Roger Geckler, Letendre Ave.

Saturday - 11 a.m. Melody Choir rehearse at church.

Sunday-9 and 11:10 a.m. Two Morning Worship Services ... Rev. Lockhart will preach at both services; 9:30 and 10 a.m. Church School for all ages; patent for a washing machine was

planning to unite with the church at Easter in the pastor's study; 6 p.m. Junior and Senior BYF meet at church.

Monday - 10 a.m. Lamplighter's Circile meet at home of Mrs. Norman Jenks, Emerson Rd.; 8 p.m. Music Committee meet at home of Mrs. Frank Meyer, Birch Hill.

Tuesday-6:30 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Club meeting at church; 6:15 p.m. Bowling teams at West 7 p.m. Celestial Choir rehearse at church.

Wednesday-10 a.m. to 4 p.m. School and Worship Service at and 7 to 9 p.m. Trading Post St. Alphonsus College, Suffield. Meet at chudch at 7:30 p.m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Floyd C. Bryan, Minister Mrs. A. G. Toussaint, Minister of Music

Thursday-8 p.m. Ladies Aid Gentlemen's Night.

Friday - 4:20 p.m. Pastor's Class; 7 p.m. Boy Scouts meet; 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir rehearsal; 8 p.m. Square Dance.

Saturday - 8:45 a.m. Intermediate Choir rehearsal; 9:30 a.m. Junior Choir rehearsal.

Sunday - 9 a.m. Church at Morning Worship, Rev. Bryan, preaching and Church School Classes, Nursery to Grade 6; 10 a.m. Church School Classes, Grades 7 to 12; 11 a.m. Church at Morning Worship, Rev. Bryan preaching and Church School Classes, Nursery to Grade 6.

Monday — 7:30 p.m. Descens

Monday - 7:30 p.m. Deacons meeting; 8 p.m. Friendly Work-

Tuesday — 6:30 p.m. Senior High Choir rehearsal; 7:30 p.m. Medal Novena Devotions. Council.

March28, 1797 - The initial 4:30 p.m. Pastor's Class will be granted to Nathaniel Briggs of held for young people who are New Hampshire.



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meeting in parish hall.

Basketball teams practice.

and 6, 7:30 p. m. Saturday-4:30 and 7:30 p. m. Confessions

Rev. John S. Tyler, Vicar Thursday — 7 p.m. Boy Scouts

meeting in parish hall; 8 p.m.

Friday — 3:15 p.m. Junior choir practice at church; 7 p.m.

SACRED HEART

Sunday—6:45, 8, 9:15, 11:30 mont as co-chairman. a. m. Masses; 10 a. m. Sunday This pre-Easter supp School classes from first to sixth

classes.

Tuesday-7:30 p.m. Miraculous Medal Novena Devotions.

Wednesday-7 p.m. Boy Scouts

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH

Rev. Walter J. Joyce Rev. Pierce Power

Saturday — 9 a.m. Religion classes for Grades 1 through 6 at Junior High School; 4 to 5:45 and 7:30 to 9 p.m. Confessions. MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass - 6:30 and 7:30

High School CCD classes; 6:30 p.m. Senior High School CCD

Tuesday-7:30 p.m. Miraculous

Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. Mass. Friday — 7:30 p.m., Stations of the Cross; 8:45 p.m. Choir rehearsal . . . parishioners wishing to join choir just attend Friday's rehearsal.

Freshman placement test for entrance to Cathedral High School Saturday, 8:30 a.m., at Cathedral High School.

Children planning to make their First Communion must bring their baptismal certificates to their CCD teacher prior to

ST. THERESA OF INFANT JESUS CHURCH

Rev. Anthony J. Menard Mass Schedule

Daily Mass-7 a.m. Saturday-8 a.m. Mass - 4:30 and 7:30 Confessions.

Sunday-7, 8:30 and 10 a.m.

Tuesday-7 p.m. St. Theresa Novena Devotions.

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and Rosary Altar Society of Sa- Orlando Bruno. James Bruno will cred Heart Church. Rev. George Linse, CSS, pastor of Sacred head table guests and the speaker Heart Church and Rev. James who will be announced. G. Shea, assistant, will serve as honorary chairmen. Edward Regnier is serving as general chair-

p.m. Senior High School CCD school in family groups. The will be celebrated by Rev. George at 7 p.m. at the junior high school on Main St.

A complete chicken dinner will be served with Francis Bouley in charge. Reservations must be made and tickets are now available from the general committee, at the rectory or from the ticket cochairmen, Alfred Marquis or Miss Rose Mercadante. Children's

VALLEY COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Frank E. Dunn, Minister Mrs. Hazel Prior, Choir Director

Sunday-10 a.m. Worship Ser-

vice at Old Storrowton Church, West Springfield, Eastern States Exposition grounds . . . Sunday School classes in session.

Wednesday-7 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Upper Church and Second Sts. West Springfield, Mass.

Rev. John N. Garner, Pastor Thursday — 3:30 p. m., Joy Club (Bible Classes for children in school grades one through six) meets at the church; 7:30 p. m.,

Visitation Program. Saturday - 7:30 p.m., Adult Fellowshia monthly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Silas

Rogers, 20 Northwood Ave., W.S. Sunday — 9:45 a. m., Bible School for all ages; 11 a. m., morning worship service with a Gospel Message by Pastor Garner. There is a supervised nursery service available upstairs in the church during both Bible School and morning service; 5:45 p. m., Young People's groups meet at the church; 7 p. m., evening service conducted by Pastor

Wednesday-7:30 p. m., "Hour of Power," midweek prayer meeting and service.

(Bible Baptist Church is in fellowship with the General Assn. of Regular Baptist Churches and the American and International Councils of Christian Churches).

It was announced today that tickets are half price. Other com-Sacred Heart parish will spon- mittee assignments are as folsor a family Communion supper lows: seating arrangements, Wednesday evening, March 23. Richard Regnier; entertainment, This will be the first annual Thomas Murray and Mrs. Ber-Communion supper and is spon- ard Whittle; table decorations, sored by the Holy Name Society Mrs. Anthony Perry and Mrs. serve as MC and will introduce

Mr. Regnier said today, "Parishioners are invited to obtain their supper tickets at the door man of arrangements and is be- of the church on Sunday. We ing assisted by Mrs. Ernest Du- are delighted to sponsor this annual affair and we hope that the This pre-Easter supper is spon- custom will continue as a yearly sored with the intention of fami- event during the Lenten season. ilies receiving Communion and This is a non-profit affair with Monday — 2:45 p.m. Junior then gathering together following tickets priced exactly at the cost High School CCD classes; 6:30 the mass at the junior high of the dinner. We do not intend to make this a ways and means mass will be held at 6 p.m. and event, our purpose is for families of the parish to receive Linse with the supper following Communion as a family unit in preparation for their Easter duty and also to enjoy an annual dinner together. We hope that every family in the parish will partici-



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8 hamburger buns, toasted

Combine, oil, catsup, mustard, Worcestershire sauce, garlic, lemon juice, salt and pepper. Pour mixture over steaks and marinate about 1½ hour. Remove steaks from mar-inade and place on broiler rack 3 inches from source of heat. Broil 3 to 5 minutes on each side. Place each steak on toasted bun half, and top with remaining Makes 8 sandwiches. with remaining bun halves.

Friendly Squares **Dance Saturday**

The Friendly Squares Square Dance Club will have Julius (Jay) King as their featured guest caller on March 12.

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'Swing Into Spring" Dance At Local Armory March

any B, 1st Bn., 104th Infantry a demonstration by the wellannounced that the annual dance known Storrowton Dancers. Jack sponsored by the club will be held Mansfield and his band will furon March 12 at the unit's armish the music for the evening mory. Sgt. E5 Richard A. Hill, and Mr. Mansfield will also be chairman of the dance committee, the caller for the square dance indicated that a novel program sets. of entertainment is planned for the evening and the affair is appropriately called "Swing Into Spring."

The dance program will be composed of Eastern and Western type square dances plus mod-

K of C Celebrate . . .

(Continued From Page 1) from many area councils will take part in the First Degree exemplification.

TELEVISION MASS

Sunday, the 27th, the television Mass, Chalice of Salvation, will be dedicated to the Knights. Rev. Fidelis Rice, CP, program director will interview after the mass Past State Deputy of the Knights of Columbus in Massachusetts Daniel J. Fitzgerald of Springfield.

COMMITTEES

The Grand Knights Regional bership of all 29 couscils formulated the plans for K of C Week. Serving on this committee in this area is Grand Knight John J. Teahan of President John F. Kennedy Council of Agawam.

Joseph B. DiCalogero of West Springfield, Western Mass., representative of the Supreme Council, is coordinator for the week's activities.

STAMP OUT SMUT CAMPAIGN

Entering its 85th year the K of C nationally as well as locally is prosecuting a drive against pornography. Utilizing the slo-gan, Stamp Out Smut SOS, the drive aims to wipe out at the grassroots level pornographic magazines and books by bringing pressure against the newsstand been selected for training at Lowoperators who sell such "moral ry AFB, Colo., as an Air Force Rico-Ted Oliver, Deborah Robgarbage"; take a stand against munitions and weapons specialist. the flood of immoral movies glutting area theaters, and move through the mails.

168 Elm Street

The Sergeants Club of Com- ern dances. Also included will be

The overall program for the dance will include a cocktail period, dancing (square and modern), a demonstration by the Storrowton Dancers, a buffet dinner and door prizes. The dance

will start promptly at 7:30 p.m. Assisting Sgt. Hill are the following committee members: SSgt. Roger E. Anderson; SSgt. Robert B. Frenette; Sgt. Richard F. Lacroix; Sgt. Lawrence S. Maxwell and Mr. Wilfred Bisonette (unit armorer).

The Sergeants Club announces that tickets for the event may be procured at the door on the night of the dance or they may be secured from a member of the unit. The general public is cordially invited to attend.

Klett To Train At Lowry AFB

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. - Air-Committee comprising of all the man Kenneth A. Klett, son of Mr. Grand Knights, Deputy Grand and Mrs. Helmut C. Klett of 99 Knights and Chairmen of Mem-Campbell Drive, Agawam, has



KENNETH A. KLETT

The airman, a 1963 graduate of Tourville. Technical High School, Springagainst filthy pictures, slides, field, Mass., recently completed cartoons and "literature" coming basic training at Lackland AFB,

Agawam

The Agawam Independent—Thursday, March 10, 1560 See 3 Enlists in WAVES



LINDA DONOVAN

Miss Linda Donovan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Donovan of 67 Clematis Road, Agawam, has enlisted in the WAVES. Linda is stationed at Bainbridge, Md., and after ten weeks of training will be enrolled in a dental technician course.

She graduated from Agawam High School in 1965, and was employed by the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co.

Social Study Fair . . .

(Continued from Page 1) samples of bananas and many other authentic articles.

The top awards for displays went to the Brazilian exhibit, constructed and manned by Deborah Fredette, Linda Howe, Craig Luginbuhl and Ralph Morin and to Ecuador, handled by John Burke and William Morrissey.

Other countries and their guides were: Chile-John Doyle, Marianne Herzog, Donald Noon-ey, Pamela Wing; Jamaica— Richard Adelman, James Bonfitto, Michael Query, Debra White, Margaret Wroebel; Mexico-David Boldebook, Mark Jenks, Edwin Lutat, Lynn Ann McManus, June Wood; Peru-Dale Cote, Frank Grabinski, Michael Pier-tronino, Caron Wiggins; Puerto erts, Steven Roberts and David

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lum." Guests are expected from ald Tower, cochairmen.

Rev. Boardman W. Kathan, other Congregational churches in Associate in Christian Education Agawam, Southwick, Westfield and West Springfield. Anyone tional Christian Conference, will interested in religious education speak at the regular church who is using the United Church school staff meeting at 7:30 on Curriculum is invited to attend.

Hostesses wil be from the Rev. Kathan's topic will be Board of Religious education with "Creative Use of the Curricu- Mrs. William Cass and Mrs. Don-

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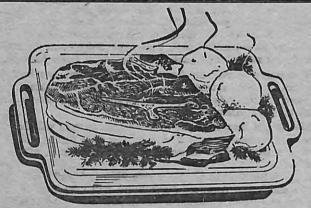
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The Music Man

This year's musical "The Music Man" will mark an anniversary of 10 shows that have been staged in the new high school (nine of these have been Broadway musicals). However, these productions have only carried on a tradition of long standing that had its be-ginnings when Miss Ruth Perry staged "The Windmills of Holland"

This year will mark 40 years of Agawam Shows and the "Music Man" program will provide several pages to this Agawam tradition. Included will be a listing of the many shows that were staged by Miss Perry during her 20 years as supervisor of music in Agawam. These were followed by two productions under the direction of Mrs. Virginia (Clark) Coffin and a number directed by Miss Mary Hayes. It would be hard to estimate the number of students that have taken part in these shows with the current productions involving over 300 sudents. It is estimated that well over 2000 students during the last 10 years have taken part in an Agawam High Musical.

Miss Perry is still an Agawam resident and has kept in close touch with the local music scene. Some of her thoughts with regard to the early shows are included in this year's program which will be sold at all performances.

Also in keeping with the 10 year anniversary will be a section of program devoted to the shows during this period and a special record that will include several selections from each of the last 10 musicals.

A special highlight of this year's "Music Man" will be the final scene in which the Agawam High Band will take part in full force (with the exception of about 30 members who have other parts in the production). They will help bring the curtain down with the strains of "76 Trombones." During the 882 performances of "Music Man" on Broadway, the electric hold of this song elicited some 2700 encores. Audiences never seem to get enough of this stirring selection which is first introduced when Robert Osolinski (as Harold Hill) tries to sell the citizens of River City on the value of having a band in town.

Special settings for Agawam's "Music Man" have been devised by Robert who has had a major part in the last three musicals as well as helping in the designing and painting the scenery. These include two major units which provide for a balcony, 7 feet by 12 feet long, that is used in the colorful "Library" scene, then separated to provide elevated backdrops for several scenes. They also provide for the two "porch" scenes and serve as units upon which additional panels can be hung.

Blue prints for these new stagings were drawn by Bruce Hermans under the supervision of Mr. Henry Baker while students in the woodworking classes of Mr. Louis Bale put the platforms to-

Help Wanted

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Community Grange . . . (Continued from Page 1)

A social hour will follow the closing of the business meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Chapin, cochairmen, asisted by Mrs. Helen Robbins and Mrs. Grace Taylor are in charge of the refresh-



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March 14 through March 18

SENIOR HIGH

Monday: Juice, hamburg on roll, candied sweet potato, yellow beans, peanut butter honey sandwich, gingerbread w/topping,

Tuesday: Veal cutlets w/Creole sauce, mashed potato, buttered peas, rye bread/butter, cherry crisp, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, ham salad roll, potato chips, buttered corn strawberry shortcake, milk.

Thursday: Hot roast beef sandwich, spinach, French fries, bread/butter, apricot upside down cake, milk.

Friday: Macaroni w/tomato cheese sauce, garden salad, Italian roll, peaches, milk.

JUNIOR HIGH

Monday: Ham w/pineapple, parsley potato, broccoli, bread/ butter, cherry crisp, milk.

Tuesday: Frankfurt on roll, cabbage carrot salad, applesauce,

peanut butter cookies, milk. Wednesday: Baked sausage, parsley potato, spinach, chocolate pudding, bread/butter, milk.

Thursday: Juice, hamburg on bun, green beans, fruit crisp, oatmeal cookies, peanut butter sandwiches, milk.

Friday: Spaghetti w/tomato cheese sauce, cabbage carrot salad, pineapple chunks, butter cookies, bread/butter, milk.

DANAHY

Monday: Orange juice, frankfurt and roll w/relish mustard, potato chips, peas/carrots, pumpkin cake w/topping, milk.

Tuesday: Mashed potatoes, meat balls w/brown gravy, buttered spinach, bread/butter, applesauce, peanut butter cookies,

Wednesday: Juice, rice soup w/vegetables, chicken salad sandwich, celery sticks, cherry square, milk.

Thursday: Orange juice, toasted ham and cheese on roll, potato chips, tossed salad, cake square w/frosting, milk.

Friday: Macaroni and cheese w/tomatoes, tuna fish salad sandwich, buttered green beans, sliced peaches, milk.

GRANGER

Monday: Macaroni and hamburg w/tomato sauce, buttered green beans, rye bread/butter, sliced peaches, milk.

Tuesday: Hamburg mashed potato, whole kernel corn, peanut butter sandwich, pineapple tidbits, milk.

Wednesday: Citrus juice, grilled frankfurt on buttered bun, relish, mustard, potato sticks, buttered wax beans, frost-

ed cherry cake, milk.
Thursday: Roast turkey in

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gravy, mashed potato, buttered broccoli, homemade bread/butter, jelly donut, milk.

Friday: Juice, grilled cheese sandwich, peanut butter sandwich, peas, carrots, apple crisp,

PEIRCE

Monday: Orange juice, hot beef sandwich w/brown gravy, kernel corn, peanut butter sandwich, apricots, milk.

Tuesday: Oven fried chicken, candied sweet potatoes, buttered peas, bread/butter, spicy prune eake, milk.

Wednesday: Spaghetti w/tomato meat sauce, buttered green beans, Vienna bread/butter, apple crisp w/cheese wedge, milk.

Thursday: Hamburg gravy, whipped potatoes, buttered beets, peanut butter jelly sandwich, grapefruit sections, milk.

Friday: Baked beans, stewed tomatoes, carrot sticks, grilled cheese or peanut butter sandwich, fruit cup, milk.

PHELPS

Monday: Beef and rice casserole w/tomato sauce, cabbage salad, peanut butter sandwich, peaches, milk.

Tuesday: Juice, grilled hamburg on buttered bun, relish, onion slices, buttered green beans, fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Hamburg gravy on mashed potatoes, buttered cabbage, bread/butter, vanilla pudding w/fruit, milk.

Thursday: Turkey vegetable soup, turkey salad sandwich, carrot sticks, orange wedges, peanut

butter cookie, milk. Friday: Baked fish sticks, parsley potato, tossed salad w/spinach greens, peanut butter sandwich, fruited jello w/topping,

ROBINSON

Monday: Orange juice, hamburg on buttered roll, relish, catsup, buttered corn, sliced pickles, cherry crisp, milk.

Tuesday: Meat ravioli w/meat tomato sauce, buttered green beans, peanut butter sandwich, sliced peaches, milk.

Wednesday: Tomato soup w/ rice, carrot sticks, chipped ham w/pickle sandwich, peanut butter

sandwich, fruit w/cookies, milk. Thursday: Roast turkey in gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered broccoli, pan rolls w/butter, lime jello w/topping, milk.

Friday: Pineapple juice, tuna fish salad sandwich, peanut butter sandwich, potato chips, tossed salad w/spinach tomato, cake w/butter frosting, milk.

SOUTH

Monday: Orange juice, turkey noodle soup w/vegetables, celery sticks, turkey salad on rye bread, citrus fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday: Hamburg gravy on mashed potatoes, buttered broccoli, peanut butter sandwich, spice cake w/sauce, milk.

Wednesday: Citrus juice, barbecued beef on buttered bun, buttered carrots, peacan brownie squares, milk.

Thursday: Hot open chicken sandwich, w/gravy, buttered green beans, glazed sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, St. Patrick's Surprise, milk.

Friday: Baked beans (catsup)

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LEGAL NOTICES

THE PLANNING BOARD
AGAWAM, MASSACHUSETTS
February 28, 1966
The undersigned respectfully petitions The Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing Thursday, March 24, 1966 at 300 P.M. in the Town Administration Building hearing room on the petition of Stanley M. and Meba L. Drewnowski for a Zone Change from Business A to Business B for a parcel of land on 1815 Main Street, Agawam, Massachusetts bounded and described as follows:

Lots known and designated as Lots #21 (twenty-one) to No. 30 (fhirty) inclusive, on plan of lots at Agawam Terrace, recorded in the Hampden Founty Registry of Deeds, File No. 173. Said lots taken together measure one hundred forty-one and 6/10 (141.6°) fect on Main, Street; one hundred and thirty-one and 12/100 (131.12°) feet on Ruskin Avenue; one hundred forty and 2/10 (190.2°) feet on land of owners unknown. Containing, taken together, according to said plan 18,598.4 square feet, more or less.

AGAWAM PLANNING BOARD By HAROLD GAFFNEY,

AGAWAM PLANNING BOARD By HAROLD GAFFNEY, Chairman (Mar. 3-10)

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by HENRY D. MANCHESTER, JR. and ANITA S. MANCHESTER to JENNIE MARIEB, dated September 22, 1980 and recorded with Hampden County Registry of Deeds, Book 2769, Page 78, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 10:00 A.M., Eastern Standard Time, on the twenty-eighth day of March 1966, on the premises below described all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, said premises being therein described substantially as follows, to wit:

The land in Agawam, Hampden County, Massachusetts, located on the Southeasterly side of River Road, bounded and described as

the Southeasterly side of River Road, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pipe set in the Southeasterly side of said River Road, distant eighty-nine and 10/100 (89.10) feet Northeasterly measured by the Southeasterly side of said River Road from the intersection of said side with the Northerly line of Autumn Street; running thence SOUTH 50° 42° 21° East by land of owner unknown, six hundred twenty-six (626) feet more or less, to the bank of the Connecticut River; thence NORTH-EASTERLY by the bank of the Connecticut River; thence NORTH-EASTERLY by the bank of the Connecticut River; thence NORTH-EASTERLY by the bank of the Connecticut River; thence NORTH-EASTERLY by the bank of the Connecticut River; thence NORTH-EASTERLY by the bank of the Southeasterly corner of land now or formerly of one Davenport; thence NORTH 50° 57' West along land of said Davenport, five hundred fifty-seven and 60′100 (557.68) feet, more or less, to an iron pipe in the Southeasterly side of said River Road; thence SOUTH 49° 38' 39" West by the Southeasterly line of said River Road, one hundred seventy-two and 14′100 (172.14) feet to the point of beginning.

Excepting and reserving the following described parcel of land:

Beginning at an iron pipe in the Southeasterly line of River Road, distant Northeasterly, ime of said River Road, distant Northeasterly, measured by the Southeasterly line of River Road, distant Northeasterly, measured by the Southeasterly line of All River Road, distant Northeasterly line of Said River Road, eighty-nine and 10/100 (89.10) feet from the intersection of said line with the Northerly line of Autumn Street, and running thence SOUTH 50° 42′ 21″ East one hundred seven (107) feet to an iron pipe; thence NORTH 50° 42′ 21″ West one hundred seven and 59/160

50° 46′ 49″ East, one hundred seventeen (117) feet to an iron pipe; thence NORTH 50° 42° 21″ West, one hundred seven and 59/100 (107.59) feet to the Southeasterly line of River Road; thence SOUTH 49° 38′ 39″ West by the Southeasterly line of said River Road, twenty-nine and 24/100 (29.24) feet to a Massachusetts highway bound; thence SOUTH 50° 46′ 49″ West eighty-seven and 68/100 (87.68) feet to the point of beginning.

ning.
Subject to a mortgage to the Springfield Co-operative Bank.
Being the premises conveyed to us by deed of Henry C. Schleidt, III, dated November 27, 1959 and recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book 2716, Page 395.

The above premises will be sold subject to all outstanding tax titles, municipal or other public taxes, assessments or liens, if any.

titles, municipal of other public taxes, assessments or liens, if any.

Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale as earnest money, the balance to be paid in cash on delivery of the deed, and the deed to be taken within ten (10) days of the final decree of the Land Court for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts approving the sale.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.

Jennie Marieb

Present holder of said mortgage Doherty and Murphy, Attorneys
February 28, 1966

(Mar. 3-10-17)

Friday, March 11—Alfred Cir., Alfred Ct., Alfred, Autumn, Bailey. Barden, Campbell Dr., Chan-nel Dr., Charles, Clark, Clifton Dr., Congress, Cross, Dartmouth, Deering, Dover, Dyotte, Florida Dr., Forest Rd., Greenwood, Grove, Laura Cir., Lawnwood, Leonard, Meadowbrook Rd., Melrose Pl., Merrell Dr., Morgan, Peros Dr., Roberta Cir., Ruth Ave., Sibley, Simpson Cir., Trinity Ter., Warren and Western Dr.

ROUTE 1

Monday, March 14 — Arnold, Broz, Carmen Ave., Cleveland, Coronet Cir., Duclos Dr., Fran-Coronet Cir., Duclos Dr., Francis, Gale, Grant, Hall, Harding, Homer, James, Letendre Ave., Liberty, McKinley, Maynard, Norman, Norman Terrace Ext., North, Oak Lane, Robin Lane, Sherman Ave., Sylvan Lane, Taft, Walton Lane, Wilbert Ter., Wilson and Woodland Wilson and Woodland.

ROUTE 2

Tuesday, March 15 -- Acorn. Agnoli Pl., Annable, Aubudon, Bessbrook, Chapin, Cherry, Colemore, Daniel, Day, Eastern Ave., Fenton, Franklin, Fruwirth Ave., Greenock, Hasting, Hayes Ave., Horsham Pl., Lenox, Lincoln, Line, Mooreland, Norwood Oak, Park, Pierce, Portland Pl., Ralph, Ridgeway, Sylvan, White and Witheridge.

ROUTE 3

Wednesday, March 16—Begley, Birchwood Ter., Bridge, Brookside Pl., Church, Cooley, Cottage, Dwight, Ellington, George, High, Highland, Hillcrest Ave., Howard, King, King Ave., Laurel, Lexington, Maple, McGrath Ter., Moore, Mulberry, Oak Ave., Oak Hill Ave., Orchard, Ottawa, Pasadena, Prospect River, Scher-pa, Spencer, Spring, Summer, Sutton Pl., Tower Ter., Valley, Walnut, Valnut Street Ext. and Winthrop St.

Route 4

Thursday, March 17-Amherst, Barn Rd., Belvedere, Brookline, Columbus, Giffin Pl., Greenacre Lane, Henry, Highland, Home-stead Ave., Keating, Kensington, Mill, Morris, Norris, Northwood, Randall, Rhodes Ave., Rowley, Royal, Royal Lane, Springfield, Twin Oaks Rd. and William St.

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Round The Town



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The Gridiron Mothers will meet at the Agawam High School

Two local students at Russell Sage College, Troy, N. Y., have been elected to campus offices for student activities: Miss Marsha Della Giustina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Della Giustina of 19 Albert St., dorm representative to the college paper and Miss Nancy Schmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Schmidt of 116 Silver St., dorm social chairman, both of Agawam.

Providence, R. I., boasts the world's widest bridge, the ALA says. The Crawford Street Bridge, composed of six units, has a total width of 1147 feet.

Sparkling Spinners Dance Saturday

The Sparkling Spinners, of Chicopee, one of the most popular square dance groups in Western Mass., will hold their regular dance at Lambert Lavoie School, Aldenville, Saturday, the 12th. Guest caller for the evening will be Gene Vandal of Springfield, with dancing from 8 to 11 p.m.

On Saturday, March 26th, Allan cafeteria Monday evening at 38.0. Brozek, one of the top callers of square dancing in the Pioneer Valley will be the guest artist of the evening. Allan is a member of the Buttons and Bows group from Orange, Conn. Dancing hours will be the same and re-freshments will be served for all to enjoy.

> Time is that vast expanse between paydays.

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Hansel-Gretel Nursery Register For Fall

The Hansel and Gretel Nursery has been operating for the past five years for children ages of three to five, every morning between 9 to 12 noon.

"Supervised Play" for preschool age children must be a supplement not a substitute for home. It is an activity where children learn to get along with others, especially designed to allow children to be noisy, active, and creative. The ultimate goal is to help each youngster grow into an individual who will be responsible for his actions and willing to accept the consequences of his own behavior.

Flexibility of program is evident in that no two days are alike. New equipment and toys are introduced when needed to stimulate further play. Children are encouraged to choose their own play activities. Stories, music and some dramatic play may be initiated by the teacher, but participation is voluntary. Indoor and outdoor play are in-cluded in the daily schedule, one hour a day is spent outdoors, weather permitting.

Those who wish to register for the 1966-'67 term may contact Mrs. Margaret Stapleton, RE 7-2383.

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Course To Assist In College Boards

Ronald Hofmann of 14 Ruth Ave., Agawam, will present an eight-week course to assist high school students in preparation for the May College Board examinations. Classes will be oriented to test sophistication and positive study habits. The curriculum will include a general introduction to material presented on the 'Scholastic Aptitude Test' with special stress on verbal and mathematical skills.

Classes will meet once weekly at 6:30 p. m., beginning March 14. The enrollment fee will include all materials needed and Barron's test 'How to Prepare for College Entrance Examina-

For information and registration, contact Mr. Hofmann at his home address in person or by

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Mr. Frank Maziarz, chairman of the 47th Annual Banquet Committee of the Agawam Sportsmen Club, announces that the affair will be held April 5 at the clubhouse on Cory St., Agawam. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m. with Mr. Frank Sutula, police chief of Suffield, Conn., catering the dinner. Yes, you guessed it ... Steak is the menu—family style. The ducats will go for \$5 per. The tickets can be obtained at the clubhouse until March 31.

The following members are assisting Frank Maziarz: tickets, Dick Schuhlen, Jim King, Roland Reed, Bud Roberts and Bob Simpson. Prizes, Jim Devine, John Pavelczek, Bud Otto and Chick Basile, Public Relations will be handled by Bob McCann.

We recently attended a similar dinner put on by Frank Sutula, and the steak was out of this world. If you enjoy eating good food, don't miss this affair.

Tops Ten-Year Average

Final figures released by the New Harpshire Fish and Game Department reveal that hunters harvested 9697 deer during the 1965 season—the highest kill reported since 1958. This exceeds the 1964 kill by 28 per cent and is 9 per cent higher than the average for the past 10 years. Licensed residents took 6975 deer. while resident minors killed 283. nonresident hunters bagged 2421.

All-time record kills were reported from two counties-2468 from Grafton and 1510 from Car-

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roll. In Coos County the kill was 2225, the second highest in its

The picture was not so bright, however, in most southern counties where kills were below average. Hillsboro County's kill slumped to 523, the lowest recorded since 1944. This is where Stan Berchulski, Doc Blanchard, Larry Fountain and I put in most of our time in New Hampshire. We were very unsuccessful and saw very few deer the length of time we spent in the

The Reasons

According to game biologist David L. White, there were two major reasons for the increased kill. First, two extremely easy winters in succession were responsible for the pronounced herd increases in not hern New Hampshire. Second. excellent hunting conditions on snow persisted throughout most of the season in the general region where the deer population was highest.

George Gill, who resides at 775 Springfield St., Feeding Hills, bagged his deer (a nice doe) in a very unusual way. He knocked it over with a 357 magnum revolver. This is the first time George used the revolver, and is very proud of the accomplishment. We take our hat off (with the chance of catching pneumonia) to George for his feat.

Mass, Fishing Records Fall

Five Bay State fishing records and two records tied during 1965 by anglers who reported catches to the Division of Fisheries and Game's freshwater sport fish awards program.

Record breakers included a seven-pound four-ounce rainbow trout-Quabbin Reservoir- by Bert Valcourt of Chicopee Falls; an eight-pound eight-ounce walleye-Quabbin Reservoir- by Joseph Schwartz of Holden; an 1114-inch bluegill caught by Robert Barret of Stoughton from Bog Pond, Norton; an 18-inch calico bass caught by George Olsson of Lowell in the Merrimack River; and a 16%-inch white perch taken from Halfway Pond, Plymouth, by Richard Rock of Kingston.

These fishermen will shortly plaques in the mali.

Two wild turkey gobblers were released in southern Plymouth County by the Division of Fisheries and Game. The birds were the initial contingent in what is hopefully a series of such shipments from West Virginia in exchange for a number of raccoons sent to the state by the fish and game division recently.

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Donnellan-Grant Training In Cuba

USCGC CAMPBELL (FHT-NC)-Seaman Apprentice Gary G. Donnellan, USCG, son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Donnellan of 23 Robin Lane, and Electronics Technician Third Class Daryl L. Grant, USCG, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence G. Grant of 135 Lealand Ave., all of Agawam, are participating in extensive underway operational readiness training at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba as crew members of the Coast Guard Cutter Campbell.

Normally serving as an ocean station weather patrol in the North Atlantic, Campbell undergoes this type of training once every two years. Participating in exercises and drills in the Caribbean with Navy ships and units, this training is designed to update the crew in wartime operations.

In a national emergency, the Coast Guard operates as a specialized unit of the Navy.

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The fifth game in the present series of Whist Parties sponsored by the Veterans of World War One was held in the Agawam National Guard Armory last Wednesday evening. Door prize winners were Edna Landers, William LeBlanc, Amelia Riggott and Evelyn Miller.

Mystery prizes were awarded to Marion Randell, Mary McKay and Sue McCarthy. Ladies Ace prize winner was Anna McLaughlin and Eugene Knightly for the men.

The following received high score prizes: Ladies — 1st Sue McCarthy, 2nd Ann Hyde, 3rd Florence Steere, 4th Etta Stetson; Men - 1st Chet Gillette, 2nd Ray Willard, 3rd Les Newcomb, 4th Albert Tryon.

The next card party will be held same day ... time ... place.

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Agawam Community YMCA will conduct two 10-week swim-

To Start March 19

ming classes beginning March 19 according to an announcement today by James Pease, chairman of the Youth Program Committee. The two classes will be conducted at the West Springfield YMCA pool on Saturdays from 12 noon to 1 p.m. and from 1 to 2 p.m.

"Y" Swim Classes

Mrs. Clark Greenough will be the instructor for both classes. She holds the YMCA Aquatic Instructors rating which is the highest level that can be obtained by non-career "Y" leaders. The National YMCA Progressive Swimming Program will be used in the classes and all class members will receive instruction at their own level so that they may progress at their own speed.

Registration in both classes is limited to 25 so early registration is suggested. The classes will be open to non-members after "Y" members have had an opportunity to enroll. A fee will be charged to cover the cost of conducting the classes. Additional information and registration may be obtained by calling the Agawam YMCA, 108 Perry Lane.

Tri Parish League **Bowling Standings**

Tri Parish League bowling had an upset this week as reported by Secretary Jo Longo; Don Rheault broke the high individual string record by posting a 166; Bill Colson holds high triple with 398. In the women's division, Clare Flaro holds high single string record with 119 and also holds triple record with 329. Eighth place St. Mary's holds high team single with 537 while ninth place Boston College holds high team triple with 1484.

In the men's division, bowlers currently holding over 100 averages are: Richard Borgatti who tops the league with a 113.23 average; Ed Borgatti is in second place with 108.28; Cliff Gibson, league president, is holding 108.17, Morassi 105.50, Colson 104.27, Rheault 102.59, Bellame 102.30, Gubby Borgatti 102.26, Louis Mercadante 100.44, and Roland Mercadante 100.8. In the women's division bowlers holding over 90 averages are: Clare Flaro 95.13, Marge Colli 92.6, Lucy Christopher 91.22, Mary Grabowski 90.55 and Esther De-

Team standings are as follows: Fordham 471/2, Notre Dame 40, St. Anselm's 39, Loyoola 37, St. Louis 36, Catholic U 35, Georgetown 311/2, St. Mary's 31, Boston College 31, St. Michael's 30 and Villanova, who has been in the cellar position most of the year, finds itself tied for that dubious honor with Holy Cross, both teams holding 28 wins. Bowling resumes Monday with many new records to be made.

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away, the faculty continued to throw the ball into their basket to beat the seniors by eight points. The proceeds of the Senior-Faculty tilt, ending with a score of 38-30, will be given to a worthy senior as a scholarship. The faculty team, consisting of Mr. Sheehan, Mr. Dudek, Mr. Mazza and Mr. Burke was ceached by Mr. Altobelli. On the senior team were Rick Progulske, Dale Roberts, Ken Affleck and Jerry Cleary to name a few. Sam Provo and Bob Leger, members of the varsity team, were the senior coaches.

During halftime the senior and junior girls entertained the audience by participating in a tug-ofwar. Each of the three junior teams out-pulled the seniors.

The cheering section for the faculty were freshmen girls, while the senior and sophomore girls cheered for the seniors.

This game showed a feeling of spirit and friendliness between the teachers and students at Agawam High.

Career Conference Day Saturday, March 12, will be the day juniors, seniors and their parents will have the opportunity to speak to 13 directors of admissions of distant colleges without traveling too far. All of these directors of admissions will gather at the Statler Hilton Ho-



last seconds ticked tel in Hartford, Conn., to speak to students interested in attending their colleges which are:

Alliance College in Cambridge Springs, Pa., is a co-ed, fullyaccredited liberal arts institution giving degrees in physics, chemistry, biology, economics, psychology, sociology and English.

Arkansas College, located in Batesville, Ark., is a private, co-ed institution. Degrees in biology, business and economics, and English are given.

Center Harbor, N. H., is the home of Belknap College, a private, co-ed institution where the BA, BS and BBA degrees are given. Courses leading to a degree in medical technology after graduation may be taken.

A co-ed junior college of business offering two-year programs in business administration, retailing, legal, medical and executive secretariate sciences is Cambridge College in Boston.

Another co-ed junior college in Boston is Chamberlayne Junior Coollege, which offers much terminal training.

Chapman College, located in Orange, Calif., is a privatelycontrolled, co-educational liberal arts institution of high-reputa-

Columbia, Mo., is the home of Christian College, a women's, non-sectarian, private, independent junior college of liberal arts.

Franklin Pierce College in Rindge, N. H., is a private, coeducational, liberal arts college.

Students wishing to take preprofessional courses in theology, law, medicine, dentistry, or engineering in college should consider attending Lakeland College in Sheboygan, Wis. Lakeland College is a fully-accredited, coeducational four-year college.

Lynchburg College, a fouryear, co-educational liberal arts college, gives degrees in many fields of study, including six in education. This college, located in Lynchburg, Va., also has physical education majors.

A college of high reputation

and a large variety of courses | The Agawam Independent-Thursday, March 10, 1966 Page 7 Nasson College, located in Springvale, Me. Among the courses of this co-ed liberal arts college are economics and business, home economics, humanities, science and math, and social studies.

A co-educational private college in Ashland, Wis., is Northland College, where a large number of majors are offered.

In Chester, Pa., Pennsylvania Military College is located. This is a privately-controlled military or civilian college. In 1967 this institution will become co-educa-

If interested in attending any of the above college conferences, you may call Miss Smith in Hartford at 233-1227 for details about the conferences.

BOOK FAIR

Today marks the fourth day of the annual AHS Book Fair. The books being sold, 150 titles, range from adventures and romance to biographies and nonfiction books. Members of the faculty and student body have visited the fair this week and many have returned. The books are being sold by the members of the library staff under Co-Chairmen Andrea Balboni and Barbara White. The proceeds will be used to add new books to the school lbirary, that is under the direction of Mrs. Holmes, the

COMING EVENTS: "The Music Man" next week! Get your tickets now! Remember, all seats are reserved!!...Gym Show soon! ... Plans for the Junior-Senior Prom being made!!

March 9, 1858 - The forerunner of the modern day soda fountain made its appearance in Lowell, Massachusetts.

PROMENADERS SQUARE DANCE

By Beryl and Doug Shaylor

This Friday, March 11, the Promenaders' St. Patrick's Day Party will be held at Robinson Park School. Guest caller will be Marie Hawes of Rockland, Mass. the little girl with the big

Party Chairmen Bob and Edie Gottsche have completed plans for the festivities. Refreshments will be served and a number of door prizes will be awarded.

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LEGION AUXILIARY UNIT NEWS

by Virginia Catchepaugh

sisted by members of the Aux- Whalen. iiary. Corned beef and cabbage will be served at the meal, with dancing to follow. The public may purchase tickets from the chairman or at the Legion Home.

Leeds Bowling Match On Sunday, March 20, the Legion will be host to the veter- the Auxiliary report a successful ans from Leeds Hospital for a February Social, with special bowling match at Riverside at thanks to Ed Bovat and Aux-1:30 p.m. Under the chairman- iliary members for their assistship of Jane Whalen, the Unit ance.

will serve a meal to the bowlers The Legion birthday will be at the Post Home, with the ascelebrated at the Irish Night sup- sistance of Bernie Belcher. Leper on March 19. Post chairman gionnaires or Auxilary who wish is Bernie Belcher who'll be as- to help may call Tom or Jane

Auxiliary Meeting

The Unit will hold a regular meeting | Monday, March 21 at the Legion Home,

Co-Chairmen Charles Gracie and Earl Bosquet for the Post and Mrs. Connie LaMountain of



Questions and Answers

Q. I recetly became pastor of a only had 3 quarters of coverage. count for social security. My church has elected social security coverage for its employees. Can own record. it report my salary for social

A. No. To obtain social security coverage on your earnings from report your earnings as if you are a self-employed person. You do this when you file your income tax return at the end of your taxable year.

Q. My child's benefits were stopped in 1964 because he reached age 18. He is attending colagain?

A. Yes, provided he is not mar- fits? ried and is a full-time student. Benefits can be paid up to his 22nd birthday. You will need to fice and bring your social security file a new claim.

derstand the new social security law covers my earnings from the old you are. practice of medicine. When is this effective?

A. For your first taxable year ending on or after December 31, continue? 1965. If you file on a calendar year basis, your earnings for 1965 purposes.

Q. I was 71 last April. I was turned down for benefits before granted. because I had not worked under qualify. Can I get benefits under the new law?

payments. You can qualify for you are 65. Check with your social security district office soon lished.

Q. My husband died in 1951 and

everything in Atlantic City.

church. I have never elected to Can I qualify for benefits as his could a man own?" have my ministerial earning widow under the new law? "But don't you ow

and don't get benefits on your

Q. My child will be 18 next year. He plans to continue in

A. Yes, provided he is taking a the ministry you file a waiver and full-time course in an approved school. Practically all high schools and colleges are approved. Get in touch with us a month or two before he is 18 and let us know that he will be in school.

Q. I am over 65 but have never filed a claim for social security retirement benefits since I earn lege. Can his benefits be started too much. Will I automatically be eligible for health insurance bene-

A. No, you must file a claim. Visit a social security district ofnumber, an estimate of your earn-Q. I am a physician and I un- ings for 1965, and some old documentary evidence to show how

Q. I receive benefits on my husband's earnings record. If we get a divorce, will my benefits

A. Only if you have been married to him for at least 20 years. will be covered for social security If you've been married less than 20 years, your benefits will stop with the month the divorce is

Q. Has the amount of earnings social security long enough to that a person can have and still get benefits been changed?

A. Yes. However, the new earn-A. No. You need 6 quarters of ings test is not effective until coverage to qualify for monthly next year. Starting with January 1966, you can earn up to \$1500 hospital benefits, though, since a year without having any benefits withheld.

Q. If I elect to start my widso your eligibility can be estab- ow's benefit at age 60, will I get the full amount?

A. No. The full widow's benefit

TRUE RICHES

An old superannuated minister had unwittingly told of his wealth andfortune, and the fame of his health insurance industry not to cancel contracts covering people possessions got to the ears of the county tax assessor. One day the government's representative came to his door to press him for a statement of his wealth.

"Is it so," began the assessor, "that you have capital?"

"Yes," said the preacher, "I am a rich man.'

"In that case," said the visitor interestedly, pulling out his book, "I shall have to assess you. What are your possessions?"

"I am enjoying good health," said the man, "and health is worth very much."

"Well," said the caller, "what

more have you?"

"I have a good wife—worth more than diamonds." "Congratulations," exclaimed the tax man, "but don't you own

"Yes, I have healthy, intelligent, upright sons and daughters, and that is a possession of which

any man can feel rich." "Do you own anything else?" asked the inquirer.

"Yes, I own citizenship in the United States, and an assured inheritance in Heaven. What more

A. Yes, if you are 72 years old or real estate?"

"No, otherwise I own nothing,"

said the man happily "My friend," saidthe assessor, as he closed his book, "you are school. Will his benefits continue. indeed a rich man, and your riches no man can take away-not even the government."

> is payable at age 62 or later. If you take it at age 60, it will be reduced 13 1/3 percent. If you wait until age 61, it will be reduced 6 2/3 percent.

Q. If I apply for widow's payment at 60, do I get the full payment?

A. No. If you start your widow's payment at 60, your benefit will be reduced. The amount of your reducion is 5/9 of one percent or a total of 13.4 percent reduction if you start your widow's payment at 60.

If I start my widow's payments at 60, will I still be able to start receiving a full benefit on my own account at 65?

A. No. The amount you receive will be reduced.

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offering improved contracts to those in that age category This is an important and needed activity. And the older people should understand that in many, perhaps most, cases, voluntary insurance of one kind or another provides protections and services that should not be relinquished. It is an unfortunate fact that many of these people seem to believe that medicare will pay the bills for any medical problems

over 65 once medicare goes into effect next July 1-but to continue

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Anchor To Windward

The American Medical Association is encouraging the voluntary

that may confront them. It doesn't. Coverage is limited and in some areas there is confusion as to just what it will and will not do. Moreover, there are portions of the bill that many authorities think will lead to deterioriation in the qualitty of medical care and disturb the all-important doctor-patient relationship. Experience may very well force repeal or major changes in these portions. And, of no small moment, no one knows what medicare will really cost and whether or not taxes and levies thus far authorized to pay for it

will be adequate. The Times-Record, of Spencer, West Virginia, sums up the point clearly: "...we offer this reminder to all our elderly friends and neighbors—hold on to what you've got until that bill actually goes into effect, and then make sure you'll have what you need." Long before anyone thought of such a law as medicare a splendid system of voluntary health insurance came into being, and it has grown dramatically. It should not be abandoned out of hand by those over 65.

My Neighbors



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